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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Halliburton Energy Services, Inc., Junior Party (Application 10/080,785, Inventors: David J. Leidel and James Phillip Lawson),

v.

Baker Hughes, Inc., Senior Party (Patent 6,564,718 Inventors: James W. Reese, Steve Henderson, William Harvey and Terry Slagle).

> Patent Interference 105,587 (RES) (Technology Center 1700)

Before: RICHARD E. SCHAFER, MICHAEL P. TIERNEY and JAMES T. MOORE, <u>Administrative Patent Judges</u>.

Judgment

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           Junior Party Halliburton Energy Services, Inc. has informed the
     board that a priority motion would not be filed. Accordingly, a judgment
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     on priority is entered against Halliburton.
           It is
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           ORDERED that judgment on priority as to the subject matter of
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     Count 1 (Paper 32, p. 2) is awarded against Halliburton Energy Services,
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     Inc.:
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           FURTHER ORDERED that Halliburton Energy Services, Inc. is not
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     entitled to a patent containing claims 1-5, 7-12, 14-25, 29-32, 39-41, 45-48
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     and 55-60 (corresponding to Count 1) of Application 10/080,785;
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           FURTHER ORDERED that claims 1-5, 7-12, 14-25, 29-32, 39-41,
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     45-48 and 55-60 of Application 10/080,785 are finally refused, 35 U.S.C. §
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     135(a);
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           FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this judgment be made of
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     record in the file of Patent 6,564,718, and Application 10/080,785; and
           FURTHER ORDERED that if there is any settlement agreement
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     which has not been filed, attention is directed to 35 U.S.C. § 135(c) and
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     37 CFR § 41.205.
                 /Richard E. Schafer/
                 RICHARD E. SCHAFER
                 Administrative Patent Judge
                 /Michael P. Tierney/
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                 /James T. Moore/
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